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PATENT APPLICATION

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Cecil E. Williams, Jr.

Application No.: 09/682,279

Group No.: 2632

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Examiner: Van Thanh Trieu

For: Illuminating Light(s) Display Apparatus for USB

RESPONSE UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2632

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

Please cancel ~~claim 4~~ without prejudice or disclaimer as to the subject matter therein. Please add new claim 5 as follows. The amendments made herein place the current application in condition for allowance and in better form for appeal. Entry thereof is respectfully requested.

5. An illuminating device for the Universal Serial Bus (USB) comprising

a. an elongated, standard USB wire comprising:

i. a flexible, tubular stabilizing agent which is easily bendable, and

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